

Appln. No. 09/664,273
Amdt. dated January 25, 2006
Reply to Final Office Action dated August 25, 2005



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Jean-Claude Constantin
Appln. No. : 09/664,273
Filed : September 18, 2000
Title : METHOD FOR CONTROLLING A TRANSMISSION SYSTEM,
APPLICATION OF THE METHOD, A TRANSMISSION SYSTEM,
A RECEIVER AND A HEARING AID

Conf. No. : 4537
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Examiner : Lun S. Lao

Customer No. : 000,116
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AMENDMENT "B1"

Sir:

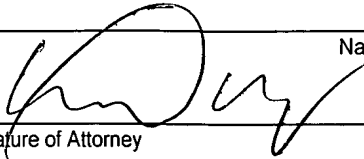
This amendment is filed in response to the Final Office Action dated August 25, 2005 (Paper No. 20050613). The three-month period for responding to the Office Action expired on November 25, 2005. This amendment is filed further to "Amendment B," filed November 23, 2005, which was not entered by the Examiner. Accordingly, Applicant respectfully requests and petitions that the response date be extended for two months, up to and including, January 25, 2006. This amendment is being filed with a Request for Continued Examination (RCE). Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$1,240.00 for the extension of time fee (\$450.00) and the RCE fee (\$790.00).

Please amend the above-identified application in the following manner.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 8 of this paper. Attached are three (3) replacement sheets.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.

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